

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Application of South Carolina Electric & Gas Company for  
Implementation of Time-Of-Use Rates for Residential and  
Commercial Customer Classes

BEFORE THE  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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March 28, 2008

**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

The Honorable Charles Terreni  
Chief Clerk/Administrator  
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Columbia, South Carolina 29211

RE: Application of South Carolina Electric & Gas Company for Implementation of  
Time-of-Use Rates for Residential and Commercial Customer Classes  
Docket No. 2007-171-E

Dear Mr. Terreni:

By letter dated March 20, 2008, South Carolina Electric & Gas Company ("SCE&G" or "Company") requested that the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") issue an order suspending indefinitely its voluntary time-of-use electric rate offering entitled "Rate 28, Small General Service, Time-of-Use Demand" ("Rate 28"). In its March 20, 2008 letter, the Company informed the Commission that it is currently evaluating various rate design options and in the near future will file with the Commission for approval either a revised Rate 28 tariff sheet or a new, voluntary time-of-use electric rate offering for the commercial customer class. As of the date of this letter, SCE&G is continuing to evaluate and analyze rate design options to correct the deficiency in Rate 28. The Company anticipates that it will submit revisions to Rate 28 or a new, voluntary time-of-use electric rate offering on or before May 30, 2008. This will allow the Company sufficient time to complete its analysis and re-design.

In its March 20, 2008 letter, SCE&G also informed the Commission that no customers were currently taking service under Rate 28 but the Company was aware of nine customers who had requested service under this rate.<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to Commission Order No. 2007-386 dated May 23, 2007, Rate 28 became effective in June 2007; however, SCE&G did not receive any requests for service under this rate until March 12, 2008. When an existing commercial customer of SCE&G requests service under a new rate, the Company first undertakes an evaluation to determine whether the customer qualifies for the rate schedule requested. If the customer qualifies for the new rate, then certain administrative tasks must be completed prior to changing the customer to the rate schedule requested. This is the reason why these customers are not yet taking service under Rate 28.

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<sup>1</sup> The customers who have requested service under Rate 28 are existing customers of SCE&G.

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By copy of this letter, we are advising the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff of the additional information being presented to the Commission.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "K. Chad Burgess", with a stylized flourish at the end.

K. Chad Burgess

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cc: Randy Watts  
Shannon Bowyer Hudson, Esquire